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You can ignore this...I figured out Halchita is Mexican Hat.

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Excerpt from NYT article

“At least seven public water systems that typically take water from these rivers and pump it into their water sources have stopped doing so. On the Navajo Nation, officials are hauling water to Montezuma Creek, Utah, and Halchita, Utah, two communities of a few hundred people that typically receive water from the San Juan, said Deenise Becenti, a spokeswoman for the Navajo Tribal Utility Authority.”

My current understanding is that only 2 NTUA PWS are in/near SJR: Montezuma Creek and Mexican Hat. Thanks

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